What is claimed is:

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1. A method for producing an optical device having an organic polymer film through which a light beam is transmitted, which comprises

applying a solution containing an organic polymer film-forming starting material on a substrate to form the applied film,

and then baking the applied film under vacuum of 1 Torr or lower to form the organic polymer film,

wherein the organic polymer film has a high transmittance when the light beam has a wavelength of 1.5 µm or shorter.

2. A method for producing an optical device having an organic polymer film through which a light beam is transmitted, which comprises

applying a solution containing an organic polymer film-forming starting material on a substrate to form the applied film,

and then baking the applied film under gaseous nitrogen to form the organic polymer film,

wherein the organic polymer film has a high transmittance when the light beam has a wavelength of $1.5~\mu m$ or shorter.

- 3. A method according to claim 1, wherein the organic polymer film has an absorptivity coefficient of light of not more than 1.6 mm⁻¹ in the wavelength of 650 nm.
- 4. A method according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the light beam has a wavelength of 500 nm to 800 nm.
- 5. A method according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the organic polymer film is a polyimide resin film.
- 6. A method according to claim 1, wherein the polyimide resin film is a photosensitive polyimide resin film.

7. A method according to claim 2, wherein the polyimide resin film is a photosensitive polyimide resin film.

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- 8. A method according to claim 1, wherein the organic polymer film has a thickness not less than 5 μ m and not more than 200 μ m.
- 9. A method according to claim 1, wherein the applied film is preparatorily heated under atmospheric pressure, before the baking under vacuum.
- 10. A method according to claim 1, wherein the baking is performed under a vacuum of 1 X 10^{-2} Torr.
- 11. A method according to claim 6, wherein the photosensitive polyimide type resin film is an acetophenone type resin film.
- 12. A method according to claim 6, wherein the photosensitive polyimide type resin film includes a tertiary amine.
- 13. A method according to claim 1, wherein the organic polymer film-forming starting material is a precursor of a polyimide type resin.